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## CHICAGO BROILER/FRYER

PRELIMINARY FOR DELIVERY THE WEEK OF 02-OCT-2006

	RANGE	MAJORITY	WTD. AVG.	LOADS
US GRADE A	40-67	57-60	59.21	28

## GEORGIA FOB DOCK PRICES

WEDNESDAY

70.25

## FRIDAY PRELIM. WTD. AVG.:

69.76

Georgia f.o.b. dock confirmed preliminary weighted average price on ice packed parts:

## ESTIMATED U.S. LIVE POULTRY SLAUGHTER

UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION FOR WEEK ENDING 30-Sep-06

	Current Week	Previous Week
Broiler/fryer	169,944	166,895

ITEM	WTD. AVG. (CENTS PER POUND)	VOLUME (000 POUNDS)
LINE RUN TENDERS	157.00	1,165
BREASTS - B/S	131.00	5,438
BREASTS - WHOLE	81.00	1,252
THIGH MEAT - B/S	83.00	1,056
LEG QUARTERS	31.00	8,217
WINGS	102.00	2,655

This information is supplied by the Georgia Department of Agriculture's Poultry Market News Service.

**MIDWEST** Negotiated delivered prices on whole broiler/fryers into the Chicago area for next week were unchanged from Monday's majority prices. Offers were fully sufficient for the barely steady to at times steady market tone. Weekend retail and food service activity was slow to moderate with slight improvement reported in all markets. Best draw noted into aggressive retail advertisements and fast food where promoted. Floor stocks adequate to ample; weights desirable to heavy. Supplies of boneless/skinless breasts adequate; all other parts were available to burdensome and slow to clear.

**WEIGHTED AVERAGE PRICES FOR WHOLE YOUNG TURKEYS, FROZEN CONSUME SIZES, COMMODITY PACK OR EQUIVALENT, US GRADE A, CENTS PER LB, DELIVERED (MINIMUM 10,000 LB LOTS)** **WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 29, 2006**

	CURRENT WEEK	LAST WEEK	SAME WEEK YEAR AGO		CURRENT WEEK	LAST WEEK	SAME WEEK YEAR AGO
<b>8-16 LB HENS</b>				<b>16-24 LB TOMS</b>			
EASTERN REGION	86.50**	85.70**	78.00	EASTERN REGION	86.50**	84.90**	79.50**
CENTRAL REGION	86.50**	85.83	81.00	CENTRAL REGION	86.00**	84.70**	79.73
WESTERN REGION	86.50**	85.70**	86.00	WESTERN REGION	86.00**	84.70**	78.00

\*\*BASED ON OFFERS

## LIVE POULTRY SLTRD UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION

WEEK ENDING 23-Sep-2006 (PRELIMINARY)

YOUNG CHICKENS THOUSANDS	
Head	165,750
Avg Wt	5.49
Last week	166,512
Same wk yr ago	165,401
Avg Wt	5.30
To-date/2006	6,132,473
To-date/2005	6,120,385

## LIVE TURKEYS SLAUGHTERED

	YOUNG HENS THOUSANDS	YOUNG TOMS THOUSANDS
Head	1,981	2,585
Avg Wt	18.02	36.73
Last week	2,026	2,644
Same wk yr ago	2,063	2,728
Avg Wt	16.25	35.46
To-date/2006	72,927	96,628
To-date/2005	66,771	97,793

## FRESH BEEF CUTS

FOB Negotiated

	PRICE	RANGE	WEIGHTED AVERAGE
112A 3 Rib, ribeye, bnls, heavy	566.65	611.00	585.84
168 3 Round, top inside round	164.00	172.00	166.15
180 3 Loin, strip, bnls, 0x1	455.25	485.00	470.78
Ground Beef 81%	96.00	115.05	105.25

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